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Great Tree Giveaway Program at Andrews Park

The City of Norman Parks and Recreation Department and the Tree Bank Foundation are partnering to provide Norman residents with free trees as part of the Great Tree Giveaway program. One hundred trees will be available to Norman residents at a tree giveaway to be held on Friday, Oct. 16, on the west side of Andrews Park. A Norman water bill or driver's license will be required for proof of residency. The tree giveaway will be first come, first serve and will take place between 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. or until all the trees have been given away. The available tree species and descriptions may be viewed at www.normanfun.com.

The Tree Bank Foundation will be distributing 1,000 free trees to 17 communities throughout the state of Oklahoma during October. Norman has been the recipients of 7,048 free trees since the beginning of the Great Tree Giveaway in 2008, resulting in community beautification.

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